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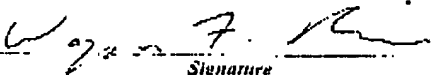
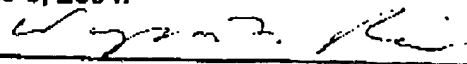
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Re: U.S. Patent Application Serial No.: 09/768,762
Applicant: Walter R. Harfmann
Attorney Docket No.: 0869.073
Message: Please find attached hereto the following documents:
1. Amendment Transmittal Letter (1 page) (in duplicate);
2. Petition for Extension of Time (1 page) (in duplicate); and
3. Amendment and Response to Office Action (14 pages).

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Applicant(s): Walter R. Harfmann					
Application No. 09/768,762	Filing Date 01/23/2001	Examiner Kuhns, A.	Customer No. 23405	Group Art Unit 1732	Confirmation No. 3754
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OFFICIAL**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Large Entity)**Docket No.
0869,073In Re Application Of: **Walter R. Harfmann**

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
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Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

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